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# RESPONSE A

# **AMENDMENT UNDER 1.111**

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P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated March 8, 2005, and with consideration to the Three Month Petition and Fee for Extension of Time (37 C.F.R. 1.136 [a]), please amend claim 20, cancel claims 21 and 35-39, and add new claims 40 and 41 as follows:

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Dear Sir:

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